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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Nell Foley spent the week-end with her parents at Greenville.

Come to the Hondo Land Co. when you wish to buy or sell real estate.

Herman Weynand spent Monday and Tuesday in San Antonio on business.

E. M. Poerner was here from Devine Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Mrs. E. J. Murray visited her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Phillips, in San Antonio Sunday.

Picture framed and mirrors re-silvered. **SPEECE WOODCRAFT** tf.

Mr. Joseph Lutz, Sr., was an appreciated caller at this office Monday.

Try one of our hamburgers, the largest in town for 10c. **OASIS CAFE.**

Tony Windrow of Lordsburg, New Mexico, this week joins our corps of new readers.

FOR SALE—Second-hand Garland gas range, 4-burner. Apply to A. G. Walker. tf.

Messrs. A. W. Singleton and Milton Purvis of Tarpley were business visitors here Tuesday.

For drug store needs go to **WINDROW DRUG STORE**, serving Medina County since 1898. tf.

Fred and Archie Jagge of Castroville were business visitors here Thursday.

NOT THE BIGGEST BUN, BUT THE BEST HAMBURGER IN TOWN. PLAZA BAR AND CAFE.

Mrs. Reed Eubanks and little son, Roger, left Monday to visit relatives in Brady.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. Speece, at residence opposite north-west corner of courthouse. tf.

Wanted—Gas range, breakfast set, refrigerator, dresser. **MR. CROSBY, Ford Garage.** 1tpd.

FOR SALE, cheap—1 work horse and 1 work mule. **HUGO SAATHOFF**, Phone 958-F5, Hondo. 3tpd.

Miss Anne Davis was the weekend guest of her sister, Miss Mary O. Davis, in San Antonio.

FOR RENT—recently vacated two-story dwelling. Large enough for two or more families. Phone 127-3-rings. tf.

Friends of Mr. August Schuehle will be glad to hear that, although still a very sick man, he is showing some improvement at this time.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, Reds, Barred Rocks and White Leghorns now on hand. **L. F. GRUBE GRAIN CO.** 2tc.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stiegler and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Saathoff and daughters, Lindabell and Mary Joyce, visited in Bandera Sunday.

FOR RENT—Two-room, newly furnished, apartment; electric lights; gas; garage. Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil Herald office. tf.

Ralph de Montel returned the first of the week from Dallas where he visited his sisters, Mrs. Sane Godbold and Mrs. Ivan Douglas.

FOR A COOL SHAVE AND UP-TO-DATE HAIR CUT GO TO BARNES AND COFFEY AT BARNES BARBER SHOP. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Mitchell and daughter of San Antonio visited Mrs. Una English and sons here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greber returned to their home in Houston Sunday after an extended visit here with their sister, Mrs. P. Jungman.

Pecan budding and grafting. No trees too large. References Medina, Bexar, Banderita and Travis Counties. **L. J. REITZER**, 330 W. Theo Ave., San Antonio. 4tpd.

Mrs. Myrtle Solcher and Roy Schrevers of San Antonio visited their sister and mother, Mrs. F. H. Schrevers, here last week-end.

Who has \$1200 they want to invest in Hondo property that will pay him 8% on his investment? If interested, Phone 42 or write care Box 247, Hondo, Texas.

Mr. Raymond F. Wolff of D'Hanis was a business visitor here Wednesday, renewing subscription to this paper both for himself and for his mother, Mrs. F. X. Wolff.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU, OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU? For Every Form of Insurance See **O. H. MILLER**, Hondo, Texas. Since 1907.

Friends of Col. W. B. Odom will regret to hear that because of continued ill health, he has gone to Austin where he will remain indefinitely with his sister, Mrs. Bell. We hope to see him back in our midst again soon.

Mrs. Joe Weynand of D'Hanis, her daughter, Mrs. Joseph F. A. of Ed. Weynand, and her sons, W. A. and Ed. Weynand, of D'Hanis were business callers at this office Tuesday.

FOR SALE—16-ft. Ice Soda Fountain with frigidare unit attached \$500.00; 12-ft. all-electric Soda Fountain, practically new, cost \$2,000. Will take \$1,000. Can use for home or either fountain. **ARTHUR HALBERT**, North Uvalde, Texas. 2tc.

Attorney F. X. Vance spent the week-end in Yoakum with his brother, Albert Vance.

DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OFFICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E. of courthouse). **PHONE 39.**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cockrell of Austin spent the week-end here with Mrs. Cockrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cameron.

NICELY FURNISHED SINGLE ROOMS FOR RENT—PHONE 127-3-RINGS OR APPLY AT ANVIL HERALD OFFICE. tf.

Mrs. Lucy Scherrer of San Antonio spent Wednesday here with her sister, Mrs. Fletcher Davis, and other relatives.

If you are looking for desirable residence lots or acreage property let us show you the Barkuloo Addition. **HONDO LAND CO.** tf.

Mrs. Herbert Lamb and little son, Ross King, returned to their home in Junction Sunday after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. King.

Tetra and Arsanate sheep and goat Drench and Kreso Dip. Use them; beat the Worms and parasites to the profits. **WINDROW DRUG STORE.** 3tc.

LOST—about 10 miles below D'Hanis, 25 head goats, branded bar on right side of nose. Finders please notify Mrs. Henry Burger, phone 964-F4. Call collect. 3tc.

FORMER HONDO RESIDENT TO BE BURIED HERE.

Mr. John A. Horgor received a message late Thursday afternoon announcing the death in Auburn, Alabama, of Mrs. Frances Davidson, who was a former manager of the Armstrong Hotel here with her husband, L. L. Davidson, many years ago. Her husband and a son are buried here.

Funeral services for Mrs. Davidson will be held at 5:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 19, from the Horgor funeral chapel.

CATHOLIC MEN TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Holy Name Society of St. John's Catholic Church in Hondo will be celebrated with special services on Saturday, March 26, and Sunday, March 27. A community breakfast will be served after the High Mass in St. John's Church.

The principal speaker for the occasion is Rev. Alexander Chapoton, C. S. S. R. of San Antonio. Everyone is invited to attend the special anniversary services.

The Holy Name Society is an organization composed of the men of the parish.

JOHNNY CROUCH HEADS UPSTREAM.

John Russell Crouch, Hondo student at the University of Texas and one of its aquatic stars, is leaving this week-end with the Longhorn squad for the National Intercollegiate Meet at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J.

Johnny has been receiving quite a bit of publicity lately because of his swimming, his escapades, his attire, and his variety of nicknames.

In Sunday's Fort Worth Star-Telegram, accompanied by a picture of Johnny in bathing suit, 10-gallon hat and cowboy boots, is the following:

"Boot-wearing Cowboy Crouch, acclaimed by some the best swimmer at the national meet last year, had his first tank experience at the university."

"He read about the crawl stroke in a book and learned it," says Robertson, who calls the sprinter the best "creek-swimmer" he ever saw.

In the San Antonio Light of March 11, Jeff Davis in "Around the Plaza," relates this Johnnesque stunt:

Burr Noonan from Austin thought it was very funny about the University of Texas swimming team on that recent trip. They are riding in a big Lincoln and they come to Platte City, Mo.

A swimmer named "Hondo" Crouch, who is all Texan, thinks he'll give his teammates a laugh, so he puts on his 11-gallon hat and, cowboy boots and all, gets out of the car and lurches drunkenly into a cafe.

"The boys follow him and they ordered meals from a trembling waitress. When the meal is finished, one of the boys says to Crouch in a loud voice:

"Git me my shootin' arms, Hondo, I'm going to shoot up this joint."

One of the waitresses slips to the telephone and the coach, Tex Robertson, overhears her call the sheriff and say:

"There's some tough Texas cowboys down here shooting up the whole place!"

Robertson rounds up his boys and rushes them out to the car. In 10 minutes they are across the county line and going strong. On the way back they drove 85 miles out of the way to avoid Platte City.

The Texas squad's Spring schedule includes Nebraska, Big Six championship, Oklahoma and several South-west Conference schools.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The Commissioners' Court of Medina County met in regular session at 2 P. M. Monday, March 14, with the following members present: A. H. Rothe, County Judge; H. J. Bippert, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; Ben Koch, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; and H. J. Hardecastle, Commissioner Precinct No. 4. Alfred A. Bader, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, was absent due to illness.

Monday's transaction of business was as follows:

Court ordered all precinct warrants due on or before their final due date and bearing interest at 5% or more, either refunded at 4% interest or called in and cancelled.

It was ordered that Precinct No. 2 warrants Nos. 9049, 9050, 9051, 9052, and 9053, aggregating \$2500 due on or before April 10, 1939, to be paid off and cancelled.

The Court examined and approved plat drawn by D. K. Albertson showing 20-acre subdivision of Original Survey 391 in name of A. Bonamy and located in Medina County.

The Court ordered to allow Mrs. Luella Goslin not over \$2.00 per week for groceries and house rent not over \$3 per month until further orders of the court. Also to pay Mr. G. W. Hester at the rate of \$3 house rent per month for 5 months, past due, that is for months of November 1937 to April 1st, 1938.

The Court reconvened on Tuesday at 10 A. M. and transacted the following business:

A public hearing on the petition for closing certain portions of streets and alleys in the town of LaCoste was heard. No objections were presented by any citizen of the County; several citizens appeared and spoke in favor of the closing of said portions of streets and alleys. On motion of Commissioner Bippert, seconded by Commissioner Koch, the Court unanimously voted to order streets and alleys closed as per petition and release and deed to the LaCoste School District such portion of streets and alleys aforesaid, giving said School District title to the closed areas as petitioned for.

Court heard members of the County Council on matters of the County Terracing program. The Council agreed to formulate a program which would expedite matters.

The Court passed an order that all auto tax money collected from residents of the County in 1938 shall be credited to the Commissioners' precinct whence it came. All other auto tax monies paid into the County in 1938 shall be distributed as agreed upon by the Commissioners' Court as such taxes are collected.

An order was passed authorizing the County Judge to execute deed to the State of Texas of two small parcels of land lying along and adjacent to State Highway No. 2, parcel No. 1 north of Natalia and parcel No. 2 lying South of Devine.

Order was also passed to authorize the County Judge to make deed to a small parcel along West side of Medina River known as the west part of House Lot No. 2 in Survey No. 46 purchased by Medina County from Odilia Beck, a portion of said House Lot No. 2 having been used for public road.

Petition was heard on opening road in Commissioner Precinct No. 3 which was presented to the court by residents of the community through which road is to run. Petition was deferred for further action at next term of court.

STRAYED.

From my farm on Verde Creek, Jersey heifer; heavy springer, probably has calf. No brand. C. E. CARUTHERS, 976-F-4. 33tf.

Hondo Duchess



MISS BETTY JEAN MERRIMAN

Miss Betty Jean Merriman, lovely young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Merriman of Hondo, will represent Hondo as duchess at the Spinach Festival to be held at Crystal City, Texas on March 25. Her escort will be Roland Gaines.

—Cut by courtesy San Antonio Express.

MEDINA GETS WHITE BASS.

A truckload of white bass is on the way from Lake Dallas to Medina Lake and will be placed in the "fishermen's paradise" northwest of San Antonio Thursday afternoon, President John E. Zeller of the San Antonio Anglers Club was informed today. Zeller and other local anglers will help place the white bass in Medina Lake.

The Anglers will meet at Zeller's office at 7:30 Friday to elect officers and discuss the observation of Wildlife Restoration week.

Zeller and others of the Anglers Club will meet with the Landowners and Hunters Protective Association at 11 A. M. Sunday at the Wetmore bowling alleys for a further discussion of the Wildlife week program. Wildlife week is March 20-26.—Thursday's Light.

BOY SCOUT TROOPS ADMITTED TO ALAMO AREA COUNCIL.

Two new Troops have been added to the roster of Alamo Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, Dr. R. W. Whiteside, Chairman of Extension and Organization, announced.

Troop No. 116, Lytle, with six charter Scouts was the first to be admitted. W. Z. Miller, Jr., has been named Scoutmaster and A. J. Gidley, Chairman, and W. G. Ward and W. A. Billings, Troop Committee-men. The Troop is sponsored by the Lytle High School where they meet every Monday night.

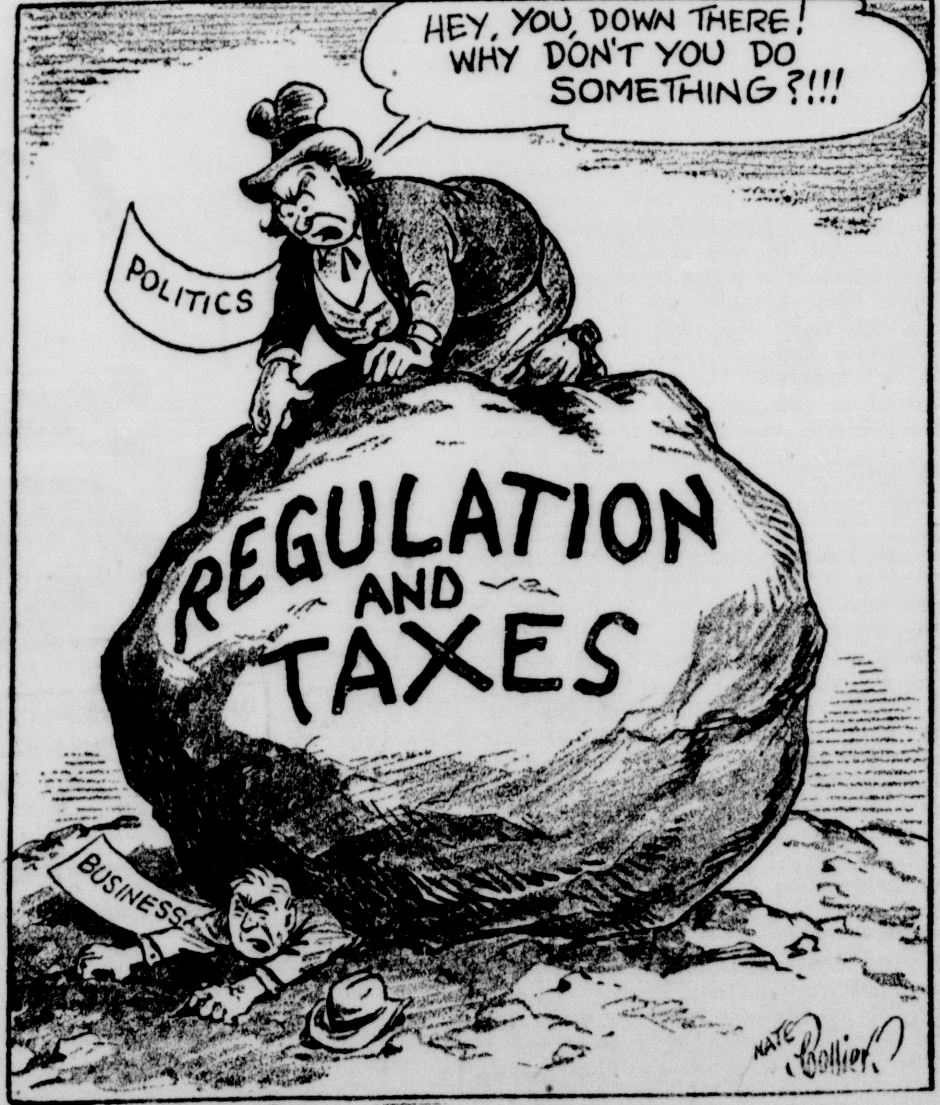
The second Troop is No. 159, Hondo, with G. R. Smartt, Scoutmaster and J. G. Barry, Chairman, and Henry Windrow and C. F. Schrevers, Troop Committee-men. The Troop meets at the W. O. W. Hall every Tuesday and has 22 Charter Scouts.

This makes a total of 97 Troops in the Area.

FOR LEASE.

200 acre pasture plenty grass and water. Inquire this office. 2tc.

TAKE THE BOULDER OFF HIS BACK!



W. O. W. HOLD INITIATION.

The Bois D'Arc Camp No. 154 of the W. O. W. was host to a gathering of some 150 people of this district at a barbecue and initiation at the fair grounds beginning at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday night. Camps from Devine, Utopia, Knippa, Uvalde, Sabinal, LaPryor, D'Hanis and Lytle were represented. A drill team from San Antonio was present and nineteen teenage candidates were initiated. In charge of local activities were the Council Commander, Dr. O. B. Taylor, and the Secretary, Mr. H. H. Crow, while W. O. W. District Manager Kirk of San Antonio was in attendance.

HONDO F. F. A. TO GO TO KINGSVILLE.

On April 2 the Hondo Future Farmers will go to Kingsville where they will enter the Smith-Hughes Judging Contest. Twenty-seven boys will go, the trip to be made in the Hondo School bus. It is planned to leave one evening and go to Kingsville, judge the next morning and go to Corpus Christi that afternoon to spend the night. The next morning they will return home. Towns from all over South Texas will be representing them are: Dairy Cattle: Elmer sented.

The contests and the boys enter: Joe Leinweber, Harry Kollman, Milton Bohmfalk, Elmo Pope. Entomology: Bertram Eckhart, Walter Weynand, Robert Brieten. Farm Shop: John Tondre, Jack Speece, Walter Haass. Horticulture: Ralph Stiegler, Charles Finger, Tom Danie. Livestock: Arthur Lacy, Albert Lacy, Roland Nester. Plant Production: Bonnard Rothe, Victor Saathoff, Hubert Hermes, Raul Domingues. Poultry: Walter Weynand, Edgar Saathoff, Wesley Moehring, Roland Gaines. Soil: Henry Schuehle, Russell Peters, Billy Ney, Edward Finger.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE RESTORATION WEEK.

Director San Antonio Zoo To Speak At Local High School.

Mr. Robert Mauermann, Medina County game warden, was a caller at this office Wednesday and left with us some literature concerning Texas Wildlife and its conservation. He informed us that National Wildlife Restoration Week will be observed from March 20-26, and that a particular program is planned for Medina County under the direction of the County committee. This committee is made up of prominent and well known ranchers and includes Ed. Seekatz, chairman; Robert Mauermann, game warden; Howard Short, P. C. Jagge, Eric Rothe, Jim Amberson, C. M. Merritt, county agent, J. C. Biediger and J. J. Tulloch.

In connection with Wildlife Restoration Week, Mr. Fred Starke, director of the San Antonio Zoo and an authority on wildlife, will give an address at 8:00 P. M., Friday, March 25, in the auditorium of Hondo High School. His talk will be based on birdlife and will be illustrated with projecting machine slides. The same program will be given at Devine earlier in the day.

The first edition of wildlife stamps in color has been issued and will be sold to anyone desiring them. The money will be sent to the General Wildlife Federation of Washington, D. C., to be used in sponsoring the work of wildlife restoration.

The following paragraphs are facts about Texas wildlife and its conservation as published by the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission of Austin, Texas:

Texas' wildlife resources are valued at \$93,000,000 annually.

Texas sportsmen each year spend \$25,000,000 for guns, ammunition, fishing equipment, clothing, automobiles, gasoline, food, hotel accommodations, and other goods and articles necessary to hunting and fishing trips.

Texas hunters shoot more shotgun shells than those of any other State—almost one tenth of the total shot in the entire Nation.

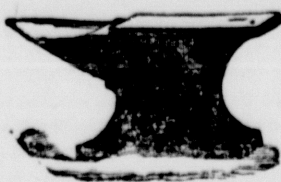
Texas is the No. 1 Deer and Wild Turkey State in the Union. Last year approximately 30,000 bucks and thousands of turkey gobblers were killed, with no damage to the seed stock.

Texas has more landowners in the business of producing game for profit than any other State. Many areas of little value to agriculture have been put to the profitable production of wildlife.

Texas has a greater variety of climate and environment than any other State, and as a result has more species of bird and animal life. The song and insectivorous birds of Texas are worth \$40,000,000 annually to agriculture.

Texas has nine fish hatcheries which last year produced approximately 4,000,000 fingerling fish for distribution. Texas ranks fourth among the States in warm water fish production. According to available records, production cost at Texas hatcheries 11 years ago was 47 cents per fish; production cost last year totaled seven-tenths of one cent per fish.

The Texas coast is 400 miles long as the crow flies, but counting islands, bays and inlets it has a 2,000-mile shoreline—a wonderful feeding ground for fish and waterfowl. Shrimp is the major marine crop



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

CORRUPTION.

By Clayton Rand.

Political corruption is a sin confined to no one party—it is common to NEW-DEALERS and DIRTY-DEALERS alike. It's like a taint in the blood.

Political graft is something that either comes by instinct or once learned is never forgotten.

It's like learning to swim or milk a cow—once mastered one never forgets the art and science of it—it's not like golf which a fellow has to learn over every day.

The most useful citizens are those neither rock-ribbed nor dyed-in-the-wool—they are the balance-of-power ones who create the political turnovers that keeps both parties half-decent for a while.

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HOW ABOUT A SEWERAGE SYSTEM FOR HONDO?

Mr. J. G. Barry, President of the local Chamber of Commerce, was talking to Mr. J. A. Hazelrigg of the Administrative Offices for the San Antonio District of the WPA (in which district Hondo is), and Mr. F. V. Lillie, Area Engineer of the WPA, living at Uvalde, and they informed him that the WPA would put up seventy per cent of the cost in the construction of a sewerage system for Hondo if Hondo would put up the other thirty per cent. To do this, however, Hondo would have to incorporate.

Here is an opportunity for the citizens of Hondo to gain a real benefit. This gives us an incentive or an objective to get incorporated and a chance that will not remain open indefinitely, so let's take advantage of it and improve our city and ourselves. This will be a great saving and it's something that will have to be done at some future time, so let's do it now while we have the chance! Let's hear comments on this matter.

CONTRIBUTED.

The above is worthy of the careful consideration of every citizen of Hondo.

And first to consider, is to determine upon the fact that the movement is made in answer to a definite need for a sewer system and not as a subterfuge or camouflage to foist the burdens of incorporated city government upon an already over-governed and over-taxed people.

And secondly, to determine what would be an adequate, and not a makeshift, sewer system for Hondo, what would be its approximate cost, and whether that cost would be within the bonding limitations of property subject to taxation for that purpose.

Any initial mistake made would be a costly if not disastrous one and needs to be zealously guarded against.

Any effort to provide a sewer system for Hondo that does not combine with it the purchase of the present water system and its enlargement to meet all needs of the town would be a disastrous mistake.

Such an enterprise involves a large expenditure of money with accompanying debt that will take a long time to liquidate.

Let's make sure we are right, then Davy Crockett-like, go ahead.

Let's not swallow a hook in grabbing at the WPA bait; in other words, if we build a sewer system let's build it because of a recognized need for a sewer system and build one adequate to meet that need, and not for the sake of accepting a WPA gift or to slip incorporation over an unwary people.

This paper will gladly give any reasonable space to a discussion of the matter by any one from any angle.

Turn on the light.

—M. E.

of Texas. Over 12,000,000 pounds are taken annually.

Texas is one of 10 States in the Union in which a leading university teaches the science of game management. The Department of Wild Game was established at Texas A. & M. College in 1937.

Texas is one of two States in the Union in which a leading college carries on wildlife educational programs among the farmers through a full-time wildlife specialist. This service is maintained by Texas A. & M.

DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

ATTENTION DAIRYMEN AND FARMERS.

Mr. C. M. Merritt, Medina Agricultural Agent, was in Devine on the night of February 23, and made a statement to the effect that Medina County has \$10,000 worth of terracing machinery that will be available early this spring for farmers to use to dig trench silos. The only cost to the farmer will be the fuel and the wages of the operator of the machinery. This cost will be very small because the tractor operates on about eighty cents a day. With this opportunity, you cannot afford not to have a trench silo. You already know the advantages of silage for feeding, so all you have to do is to signify your intentions to some member of the agricultural committee of the Devine Chamber of Commerce—they are George Briscoe, A. N. Langston, Dave Webb, Sam Sweitzer and Henry Moss, Voc. Ag. teacher at Devine. It is very urgent that you signify your intentions to these men, because if an appreciable number of men do not sign up we can not get the equipment over, and we will miss a great opportunity to get good supply of feed very cheap.

SHOOK FARMER HAS 100 ACRES CORN UP.

Willie Oppelt, Shookville farmer, told the editor Tuesday that he has 100 acres of corn up, can see it half way down the row. He thought the light rain this week will make it come fine, barring further cold.

The friends of M. E. DuBose will be glad to know that he has apparently been improving the past week; but went back to the M. & S. hospital, Monday, for a few days further observation, and change in treatment, if thought best by the specialists. He has been at home for two or three weeks past.

Mrs. Joe Schmidt is spending a few weeks with her daughters and son, at Del Rio.

YANCEY.

Our F. F. A. boys went to Hondo last Saturday, accompanied by their coach, Mr. H. H. Lock, to attend the athletic events and won second place.

Mrs. J. P. Nixon of Crystal City was at her ranch home here Saturday.

Miss Dora Mae McAnelly, who has been at home all of last week on account of illness, has recovered sufficiently to be able to return to Devine to teach.

Supt. Smith and family left Friday for a week-end visit with relatives at Waelder and Round Top.

Mrs. Ed Holub of Cotulla is convalescent after a severe spell of illness. She is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Faseler.

Mrs. J. P. Nixon of Crystal City was at her ranch home here Saturday.

Miss Gladys Bohmfalk and Mr. Geo. Vordenbaum were visitors at Mr. August Bohmfalk's home last Sunday. They made the trip by plane.

Mr. Ray Ward and sister, Mrs. Marvin Muennink, of Freer are spending a few days here with home-folks, and will return to Freer Tuesday.

Mr. Alfred Muennink of Freer is visiting his mother for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cude were in San Antonio last Thursday and Friday visiting their sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Berry of Pearsall visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Muennink and little son, Coy, made a trip to Medina City and other places near Bandera Sunday.

Misses Jane Tulloch, Odeline Caudler, Melaine James, Leona Baker and Elma Muennink were in San Antonio shopping last Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Brooks and Miss Dorothy Swinny were in Waelder and San Antonio last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. August Gerdes and son, Wallace, attended services at the M. E. church Sunday.

BIRY.

The Biry P-T. A. met Friday night February 25, 1938, at the Biry school building. After a short program was rendered, Mr. Weir gave a report on the council meet at LaCoste.

Plans were made to begin work on the school campus for the county meet. A committee of four was appointed to make arrangements for the serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry and son and Mrs. Frank Kimmerly and Mrs. Lena Langfelt of D'Hanis and Mr. Frank Bilhartz and son, Norman, from San Antonio spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Mangrum and babe from Amarillo are spending some time with their parents.

Rev. and Mrs. Albert Martin and daughters of Moore were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry Sunday. Rev. Martin brought three wonderful messages from the Bible, Sunday.

Mr. F. J. Biry from Premont and Loyd Biry of Houston spent a few days with the home-folks, returning to their work and school Sunday.

Mr. C. J. Clamme and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stole of Hartford City, Indiana, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wernette and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert War-

MEDINA COUNTY OIL NEWS.

Veteran Oklahoma Oil Developer Moves to San Antonio; Launches Medina Test.

Joe I. Cromwell, who has written some of the most interesting and important chapters of oil history in the State of Oklahoma, discoverer of many of the most important pools of that State, has moved to Texas and established his residence in San Antonio and has already launched a wildcat test in Medina County.

With Mr. Cromwell is his son, Joseph W. Cromwell, now a full partner with his father. Henceforth their operations as producers of crude petroleum will be confined to Texas. The Cromwells have moved their household goods to San Antonio and all future activities will be conducted from this city, which becomes their permanent residence. With a string of seven important oil pools to their credit in Oklahoma they are turning their attention now to Southwest Texas with as much enthusiasm as though it were their first venture.

The initial efforts of the Cromwells in Texas is a block of over 4,100 acres in Medina County extending south and southwest from Noonan. The northern limits of the block are the Southern Pacific Railroad. The first test is the No. 1 Pauline Tondre and the location is 450 feet from the South line of the Tondre 403-acre tract and 1,080 feet from the west line of the tract which is also the west line of the I. J. Rogers survey.

The block is leased solid and the first tools were moved in late in February. The test is being drilled with cable tools by James R. Johnson and two other locations have been staked on the Val Mangold farm. Samples will be taken every 10 feet and paleontological work done as the work proceeds so as to have a perfect log of the hole.

There are several formations offering a chance for production, including Navarro, Taylor Marl, Serpentine, chalk, in the shallower horizons, and if these do not make a commercial well the hole will be carried to the Edwards lime or deeper.

The geological work was done by Capt. H. Hughes-Roberts, who has spent a great deal of time studying Medina County with faith that it will furnish some of the best oil fields of South Texas and especially with faith in a pay-off from the Pennsylvania.

Two other geologists also made surveys including plane table work and reports on the block and their reports checked perfectly with that of Capt. Roberts.—Sunday's Express.

Medina County Attracting Considerable Attention, Especially Northern Part.

Medina County, located in the Balcones Fault zone in South-Central Texas, is attracting considerable attention at the present time by the oil fraternity, especially south of the Balcones escarpment which extends east and west across the northern part of the county.

Medina County first came into attention as the result of the geological reconnaissance work of R. A. Riddle, Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology, Division of Economic Geology, Texas, published in the U. of T. Bulletin No. 1860, the discovery of oil in the Elstone structure by the Medina Oil Development Company and the discovery and development of the Ina Field and the Adams Gas Field—all located on the banks of the Hondo River in the South-Central part of the county, the wells producing from Escondido (Navarro) and the Anacacho (Taylor) formations at comparatively shallow depths—the combined thickness of the above named two formations in the county being approximately 900 feet.

At the time Riddle's manuscript was written in 1920, petroleum had not been found in paying quantities in Medina County, but in the following year, 1921, the first production was obtained in a test on the Elstone structure. This test and the publication of the U. of T. Bulletin No. 1860, above referred to, so far as records show, may be considered the beginning of the exploitation and development of Medina County for oil and gas at shallow depths.

Following the Elstone test came the discovery of the Ina oil field and the Adams gas field, both of which are still producing oil and gas in commercial quantities. Further prospecting discovered oil and gas at shallow depths on other structures, notably on Chicon Creek, north of Chicon Lake, about 3 miles southeast of the railroad switch at Noonan on the S. P. Railroad, also on the Ray Taylor ranch, about 4 miles south of Hondo, and on the Noonan structure on the Christilles land, just south of Noonan and within about 3 miles west of the present Chicon Lake oil field—all the wells producing either in the Escondido or Anacacho at shallow depths.

In those early days no attempt was made to penetrate formations below the Anacacho. It may be proper and interesting to quote in this short article certain paragraphs from the U.

ner and children and Louis Wernette were over at Devine Friday night.

Prof. and Mrs. Luke B. Wier spent Saturday in Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hartung and babe from Freer are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette. Mr. Hartung is recovering from an operation.

We failed to state that Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Heath attended the funeral at Mathis last Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Haass spent several days over at Devine at the bedside of her grandfather, Mr. Joe Schmidt, who passed away last week.

Mr. Frank Bilhartz and son of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

ABOUT PEOPLE WE KNOW

From Bandera New Era.

HENRY HERMES SR. DIED THURSDAY.

Henry J. Hermes Sr. passed away at 4:46 P. M. Thursday, March 3rd, at his home at 6414 West Commerce Street, San Antonio, after an illness of 5 months.

Funeral services were held at the residence and followed by Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Sacred Heart Church with Rev. Paul Ehlinger officiating. Interment was made in the San Fernando Cemetery No. 2. Pallbearers were selected from the Knights of Columbus, he being a member of the Bandera Council. The pallbearers from here were I. E. Adamietz, Tom Anderson, Frank Kalka and Tom Boyle, and two members from the lodge of San Antonio whose names are unknown to the writer.

Mr. Hermes was born in Lavaca County, March 9, 1871. He was united in marriage to Miss Emma Winfield of Lavaca County, April 3, 1894. In 1897 they moved to Bandera County, where they made their home until about 2 years ago, when they moved to San Antonio to retire. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Winfield Hermes of San Antonio; seven sons, H. J. Jr., Clarence and Oscar, all of Tarpley, Ernest of Hondo, Cleophas of D'Hanis, Odo and Augustine of San Antonio; four daughters, Mrs. Martha Ryle and Mrs. Florence Marquis of Tarpley, Mrs. Christina Postert of Mirando City, and Mrs. Viola Cavitt of Stephenville; 29 living grandchildren and four deceased; his mother, Mrs. Christina Hermes of Hallettsville; three brothers, William of Houston, Leo of Yoakum and Emil of Hallettsville; four sisters, Sister Mary Mon-

of T. Bulletin No. 1860, above mentioned, published in 1921. "Although petroleum has not been found in paying quantities in Medina County, it is very probable that commercial production will be obtained when the proper structures are exploited.

"Until relatively recent times, little attention has been given to the petroleum possibilities of the county, though practically every water hole and test for petroleum south of the S. P. Railroad has had showings of oil and gas. Under geological conditions similar to those affording production in northern Atascosa and Bexar counties to the east, there should be commercial accumulations of petroleum in Medina County."

In the opinion of the state geologist, as expressed in U. of T. Bulletin No. 1860, three formations only were then considered (and to quote) "known to carry petroleum in Medina County and these formations under proper structural conditions should produce oil and gas in paying quantities." These formations are the Escondido and the Anacacho of the Upper Cretaceous and the Eocene-Wilcox (Buttsgin). Therefore, drilling below the Anacacho (Taylor) in Medina County was not then considered justified and, no doubt, this opinion discouraged operations to exploit below the Anacacho, which immediately overlies the Austin chalk. Likewise, the underlying Eagleford, Buda, Del Rio, Georgetown, Edwards, Comanche Peak, Walnut and the Glenrose formations, in the opinion then held and expressed, in said Bulletin, did not justify exploitation and development.

As to the Austin formation (to quote from the U. of T. Bulletin above referred to) "The nature of the Austin formation as well as the evidence that outside of the Alta Vista and Mission fields in Bexar County, no oil has been obtained from it, practically precludes the Austin formation from the oil-bearing horizons." And in the same paragraph, the opinion is expressed (to quote) "It is quite possible that the oil in the Alta Vista and the Mission fields in Bexar County has migrated from the overlying Taylor formation into the upper part of the Austin chalk."

Up to the present time only a very few isolated wells have been drilled below the Anacacho to the Austin and the Edwards and it is questionable whether any of these deeper tests were located on the most favorable structures and, furthermore, it is not recorded that any approved tests were made in the Austin, Buda and Edwards formations in the majority of the wells drilled in the county, and none of the wells, so far have been subjected to the acid tests now in general use in the Balcones Fault zone areas.

During recent years extensive drilling operations have been conducted along the Balcones Fault zone in the Austin and the Edwards formations and several producing fields have been brought in, notably, the Luling, Salt Flat, Darst Creek and Branyon fields in these formations. It is reported that oil has been found in the Glenrose formation on the Chittim Arch in Maverick County and in the Pearsall field in Frio County.

Of geologic interest and importance is the discovery of the presence of serpentine plugs, or cones, in Medina County. Serpentine plugs are the source of oil production in the Lytton Springs, Thrall, Dale, Yoast and Cedar Creek fields—all in the Balcones zone area.

Considerable leasing for the purpose of accumulating blocks of acreage for immediate drilling and development has recently been done and still is in progress in Medina County in both the northern and South-Central part of the county, by oil companies and concerns and drilling activity is already conducted on some of the blocks. It is reliably reported that all formations down to and including the Trinity will be tested by some of the concerns who have secured extensive holdings in the county.—Monday's Express.

ica of Victoria, Mrs. Sarah Batto of Bandera, Mrs. Annie Brown of Houston, and Mrs. Sophie Gerdes of Hallettsville. All the children were at the bedside at the time of his death. All of his immediate family was present for the services except his mother, who is very ill, one brother, Emil, and one sister, Mrs. Brown.

MEDINA LAKE BOARD MEETING.

The Medina Lake Advisory Board, composed of John Zeller of San Antonio, W. R. Fletcher of Bandera, and Alfred Rihn of Rio Medina, met in the office of Mr. Zeller in San Antonio on Feb. 26th. Mr. Zeller was elected chairman of the Board. Others in attendance at the meeting were Will J. Tucker, executive secretary of the State Game Fish and Oyster Commission, Game Warden Page of the Lake, and Mr. Rudesell of the Commission.

It was reported at the meeting that only about \$1500 had been received for Lake licenses to date, but as the license act was passed in the last part of the late fishing season, it had not been diligently enforced, but upon the opening of the new season much license money is expected to come in.

An effort will be made to kill out the proposed "fish pirates" in the Lake and the proposed fish hatchery was discussed. The cost of the hatchery is expected to be about \$50,000 or \$60,000, but details and location for same have not yet been decided on.

Alex Mangold and daughter, Marie, were San Antonio visitors Monday. J. A. Head returned yesterday from the M. & S. hospital in San Antonio where he went for treatment last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Batto and son of Tarpley were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Batto, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bright were Hondo visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Theresa Spettie, Misses Marie and Constance Mangold and Frank Kruger were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Oscar Mangold and Julius Mumme of Hondo, visited B. G. Wiemers last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wiemers and Willie attended a surprise birthday celebration for Mrs. Fritz Stiegler at Hondo last Sunday. Mrs. Stiegler attended church services and when she arrived home about 75 friends and relatives had gathered and surprised her. Everyone spent a most enjoyable day and wished her many happy returns of the day.

Jesse Padgett of Tarpley was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Short of Hondo were shopping here Saturday.

J. G. Newton, Misses Bertha Newton and Lou Randle of Hondo, and Mrs. T. P. Nixon of Pearsall visited the Museum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haegelin and children, Eloise, Winfred and Harley, of Rio Medina, visited the Museum Sunday.

The Kyle News.

BUDA NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Fly of Hondo and Mrs. Sterling Fly of Crystal City were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Barton.

The Atascosa County Monitor.

Mrs. Frances Wurzbach left Friday for LaCoste for a visit in the home of Mrs. A. F. Bippert.

Mrs. A. N. Steidle and daughter, Dorothy Marie, were guests of Mrs. A. F. Bippert at LaCoste Friday.

Out of town guests over the week-end in the A. N. Steidle home were Clyde Mangold of Texas A. & M. College, Ivan Mangold of St. Mary's University, San Antonio, and Leon Steidle of State University at Austin.

The Southern Messenger.

Rev. Daniel Wetta, C. Ss. R., of St. Gerard's Church, is conducting a mission this week in Sacred Heart Church, Floresville. Beginning Sunday, March 20, Father Wetta will preach a mission in St. Mary's Church, LaCoste.

Kinney County Herald.

Mrs. E. Sauer and daughter, Miss Elsie, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown in Alpine, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Auglar and children in Marfa. They also visited with Mrs. Sauer's sister, Mrs. Chas. Weinacht, in Balmorhea.

The Sabinal Sentinel.

Miss Josephine Ilse visited friends in San Antonio last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony FitzSimon and children and Frank Nowicki of San Antonio, Mrs. J. M. Coulter and daughter, Lucille, enjoyed a picnic at the Leakey Springs Sunday.

The Pearsall Leader.

Coy Berry, employed by Bee Truck Line, is being treated for a mashed finger.

Miss Hortense Bilhartz returned this week from a visit at Castroville. Mrs. T. Wipff and daughter, Miss Leslie Muennink of Hondo Sunday, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ge.

Mrs. Preston Nixon and son, William, motored to Hondo Saturday visit Mrs. Nixon's sister, Miss Bert Newton. On Sunday Mrs. Nixon and Miss Newton accompanied the brother, Jesse Newton, to Kerrville where they spent the day with the sister, Mrs. Pearl Bradley.

Zavala County Sentinel.

Supt. and Mrs. S. H. Fly and family spent last week-end at Hondo guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly.

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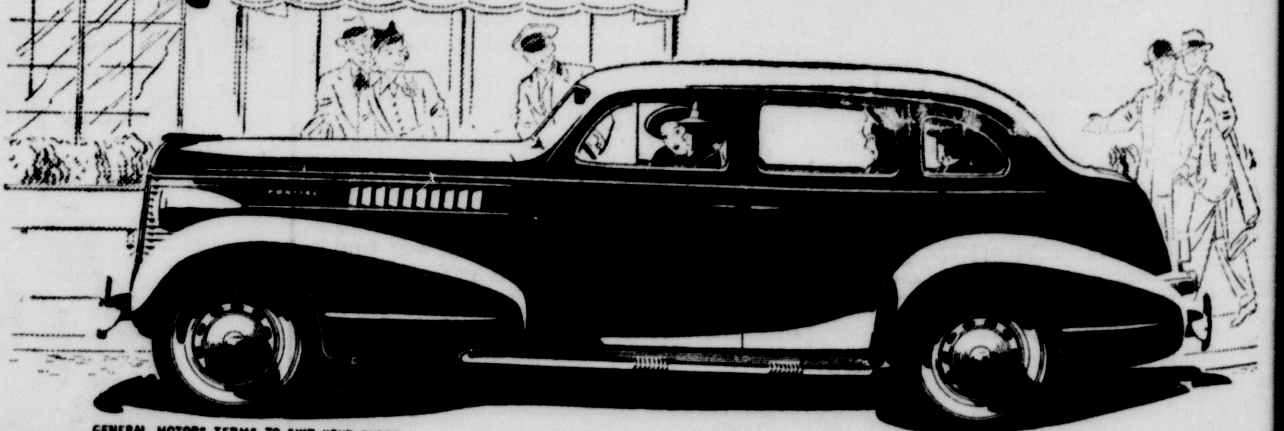
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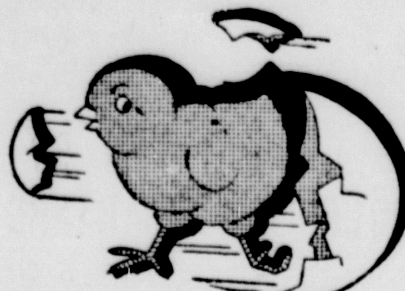
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lin after an extended visit here with
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Mrs. Mamie Davis and Mrs. Joe B.
Traylor and sons of San Antonio
were the week-end guests of their
mother and grandmother, Mrs. O.
Haralson.

ALL TEXAS BOTTLE BEERS,
BUDWEISER, DRAFT, CAN AND
BOTTLE. PLAZA BAR.

Frank A. Schweers on Monday of
this week took up his duties as an
assistant in the local post office,
the position recently vacated by
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Laura Lee, from here, Mr. and
Mrs. D. W. Short, and Mrs. Howard
Short and children were visitors in
Bandera Sunday.

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Marlene Mehr, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Louis Mehr of Dunlay,
underwent an appendectomy on
March 11th at the Medina Hospital.
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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ney have re-
ceived the good news that their son,
Edmund, who is a freshman at the
University of Texas, has made the
honor roll. He is one out of 600
students to achieve such high honors.
Edmund was Valedictorian of the
1937 graduating class of Hondo
High School, and is continuing his
fine record in his college career.

TO STOCKMEN.

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Mrs. F. J. Zerr of Dunlay paid this
office a pleasant visit Thursday.

ARMSTRONG'S LINOLEUM.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Berry of Yan-
cey announce the birth of an 8-
pound 4-ounce baby girl, Monday,
March 14, 1938, at the Medina Hos-
pital.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S
CONFECTIONERY. tf

A large group of farmers and
ranchmen gathered at the courthouse
Tuesday night to hear the 1938 plan
for soil conservation, as explained by
County Agent C. M. Merritt.

SHORT ORDERS OUR SPECIAL-
TY. PLAZA BAR AND CAFE. tf

Mr. Chas. A. McCormick was a
visitor here Tuesday, pushing busi-
ness for his company, the Mason Life
Insurance Company. Mr. W. N.
Saathoff of Castroville has joined
the Company as one of its directors.

FOR SALE—One work horse. For
price and description see ERNEST
D. BOEHLE, Hondo. 2tpd.

Miss Clara Bendele from here and
her sisters, Miss Eleanor Bendele
of Devine and Miss Anna Mae
Bendele of San Marcos, spent Satur-
day in San Antonio and the remain-
der of the week-end in Devine.

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Goat Drench. WINDROW DRUG
STORE. 3tc.

The cotton farmers of Medina
County voted on the cotton market-
ing quotas Saturday, March 12, at
Hondo and D'Hanis, with 31 votes
favoring and 3 against the quotas
polled. According to press reports
Sunday, the vote carried almost solid-
ly throughout Texas.

FOR SALE—Pair good mules, aw-
fully cheap; and second-hand farm
implements. FRED MITCHELL. 4tp

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Carle re-
ceived painful injuries when the
motorcycle on which they were rid-
ing hit a rut on the Devine-Hondo
road and turned over Sunday after-
noon. The accident occurred about
6:30 o'clock, near Shook school,
while they were enroute home from
a visit in Devine. Mrs. Carle sustained
a sprained ankle, while Mr. Carle's
injuries were a strained elbow muscle
and scratches and bruises about the
face. Mr. and Mrs. Carle are spend-
ing several days with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Reily Carle, in D'Hanis,
while recuperating.

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Mr. Arthur Jungman of Victoria
was the week-end guest of his
mother, Mrs. P. Jungman.

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CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. tf

All kinds of fountain drinks at
ROTHER'S CONFECTIONERY. tf

Mr. Alf. Zinsmeyer, business man
of D'Hanis, was here on business
Thursday.

Flowers for all occasions. Order
from ROTHER'S CONFECTIONERY.

For paint that stays put see the
HONDO LUMBER CO. tf

Judge W. S. Ethridge of Bandera
and his client, J. A. Coughran, of
Boerne were Hondo visitors Thurs-
day. They report the hill country
lovely in its dress of early spring
vegetation and flourishing in a busi-
ness way.

SPEECE'S WOOD CRAFT SHOP.
FURNITURE REPAIRING AND
REFINISHING. tf

F. R. Stolle, representative of the
Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., was
here from San Antonio Monday con-
fering with M. F. Schweers, local
Goodyear man, about a coming sales
campaign. While here the two tire
men paid this office a pleasant call.

Try one of our hamburgers, the
largest in town for 10c. OASIS
CAFE. tf

Mrs. F. A. Heyen received word
the first of the week from Mr. Heyen
and son, Chester, that they had en-
joyed a pleasant visit with relatives
in Bisbee, Arizona, and were then en-
route to Los Angeles, California, to
see Mr. Heyen's brother, Herman
Heyen, and other relatives.

KING'S BOXED CANDIES, AT
ROTHER'S CONFECTIONERY. tf

L. J. Brucks, lawyer, is now lo-
cated next to Beal's Barber Shop. tf

The Hondo Land Co. has an in-
quiry from a prospective purchaser
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paper, then remember that no town
is ever built up by trade that goes
elsewhere, and patronize those who
show their loyalty to their town by
being loyal to its enterprises.

Mr. Aug. J. Leinweber was a
pleasant caller at this office Wednes-
day and ordered this paper sent to
his son, Marvin Leinweber, at Chap-
man Ranch, Texas. Marvin is a gradu-
ate of Hondo High School and of
Daughon's Business College of San
Antonio, and for the past two months
has been doing stenographic work at
Chapman Ranch.

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The Friday Contract Club met with
Mrs. Fritz Belschner last week, at
which time high score trophies were
awarded Mrs. Robert Kollman and
Mrs. L. E. Heath. A St. Patrick's day
motif was carried out with appoint-
ments in green and white and floral
decorations of white bridal wreath.
Refreshments consisted of cottage
cheese with pineapple rings, wafers,
cakes iced with green coconut, and
limeade. The members and guests
present were Mesdames R. W.
Speece, Tom Laxson, Robert Koll-
man, A. H. Schweers, L. E. Heath,
Roy Pfeil, Roy Hunter and A. L.
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Choir Practice, Thursday at 7:00

P. M.

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tion to all strangers, all visitors, all
friends, and all members to attend
these services. Come and bring oth-
ers with you. We are always glad to
have everyone attend who can. Come!

—IRA V. GARRISON,
Supply Pastor.

HONDO H. D. CLUB MEETS.

Nineteen members of the Hondo
Home Demonstration Club met Tues-
day afternoon, March 15, at the
home of Mrs. L. F. Grube. Mesdames
R. J. Noonan and Al. Janszen were
enrolled as new members and Mes-
dames Louis Bohmfalk and Edward
Taylor were guests.

After the meeting was called to
order, roll called and the minutes
read, reports were made by the vari-
ous standing committees. Special
committees were chosen to arrange
for a picnic, which will take place
Tuesday afternoon, April 5, the
Club's Guest Day, when the Murphy
Home Demonstration Club members
will be their guests. The picnic will
be held at the Hondo water works
park, at 2:30 P. M.

Miss Nell Foley, Home Demonstra-
tion Agent, was present and after
the meeting adjourned she checked
some of the foundation patterns that
the ladies have made.

Raisin and nut bread sandwiches
and iced tea were the refreshments
served.

—Reporter.

BAG BLACK BEAR.

Now that all of the striped bass
chasers have had a whale of a lotta
fun during the last week, we find
that one of our local huntsmen has
done something in bagging a black
bear which not only weighed a great
deal more than most of his tribe but
gave the hunter and dogs something
to do about the bagging.

J. J. Haller, chef at the Sunset,
San Francisco, killed the bear in the
Bucks Lake region, the animal weigh-
ing 550 pounds, and with paws
measuring nine inches and claws
four inches.

Five trained dogs trailed this big
fellow and in at the finish old Ursus
Americus licked one of the hounds
and then turned on the huntsman,
who was fortunate enough to down
him with his rifle, and eventually it
required eight bullets to really sub-
due him.

Before coming to San Francisco to
do some cooking, Haller was a Texas
Ranger at San Antonio.—San Fran-
cisco paper.

Mr. Haller is a Texan, and writes
us that he was reared near D'Hanis
with the "Finger and Koch boys". He
also joins our corps of Anvil Herald
readers.

HEAVY RAINS A TEST OF EROSION CONTROL.

Heavy rains provide an acid test
for erosion-control practices which
many farmers have adopted to con-
serve soil and moisture. Reports from
the Soil Conservation Service in-
dicate these practices are helping to
stabilize stream flow as well as pre-
vent erosion damage.

On one of two neighboring water-
sheds in the vicinity of Wadesboro,
N. C., the farmers are cooperating in
a program of soil and water conser-
vation; on the other, the land is large-
ly unprotected by erosion-control
measures.

During a heavy storm when 4
inches of rain fell in 24 hours and 2
inches in a single hour, Brown Creek,
which drains through the protected
watershed, stayed within its channel
at all but a few points and caused
no damage to adjacent croplands.

But in the unprotected Gould's
Fork drainage basin the rain ran off
rapidly, swelling the stream and caus-
ing it to leave its banks at many
points. In some places a foot of silt
was deposited. Analysis of water
samples showed that Gould's Fork
was carrying six times as much silt
per gallon as Brown Creek, where
the water was relatively clear.

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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, March 14, 1938.
Federal-State Market News (Serv.)
Hogs, receipts 600. Market generally active and strong to 10 cents higher than last week's close. Some heavy weight hogs not as active as usual. Top was \$8.75, the average \$8.50, for most good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. mostly \$8.50 to \$8.75, few medium light \$8.25 to \$8.50, and 250 to 300-lbs. down to \$7.50. Packing sows \$8.00 to \$8.75. Few to \$7.00. Some \$6.75 down, few to \$7.50. Stocker pigs \$6.50 down.
Cattle, receipts 700, calves 1,100. Cattle, calves and yearlings active and strong, other classes not as active as early last week. Early sales of most classes were about steady with last week's close. Shipping demand light and later trading slow and weak.
Sheep scarce, few 805 and 890-lbs. at \$6.50. Short-fed yearlings \$6.50 to \$7.25, few 737-lbs. \$7.25, odd head \$7.50. Plain yearlings sold down around \$5.00. Yearlings calves sold mostly at \$5.00. \$7.25, odd head to \$7.50. Cull calves ranged down to \$4.50, few to \$4.00. Low cutter and cutter cows \$3.00 to \$4.25, plain and medium cows \$4.50 to \$5.00, few fat cows hold above \$5.00. Bulls mostly \$3.00 down. Stocker calves mostly \$4.00 to \$6.75, few to \$7.00.
Sheep, receipts none; goats, none. Barely enough offered to establish quotations. Few shorn yearlings steady at \$5.00 and \$5.50.

Hondo Graduate To Go On Swimming Tour

Johnny "Hondo" Crouch, Hondo High School graduate of 1932, with other members of the University of Texas swimming team, leaves Texas this week for a swimming tour which includes exhibition swimming and contest entries in seven states. Four days, March 23-26 inclusive, will be spent at Rutgers University for the National Intercollegiate Meet. Enroute for Rutgers, New Brunswick, N. J., the Texas swimmers will give exhibitions at Little Rock, Arkansas; the University of Tennessee at Knoxville and the University of Virginia at Charlottesville. On the return trip the swimmers will stop at New York City; Duke University, Durham, North Carolina; Georgia Tech, Atlanta; and Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge.
On a recent trip through the Middle West, "Hondo" won the medal given to high-point man at the University of Nebraska meet. Crouch and other former Hondo students now attending the University of Texas report that the university is making preparations for the Seventh Annual Track Relays to be held in Austin, April 2. The program is to feature Forrest "Spec" Owens, world and Olympic record holder in the 120-yard high hurdles. There is even the possibility that Earl Meadows, number one vaulter, and Glenn Cunningham, the "Kansas Flier", will perform on the Relays program.

Friends of Judge D. H. Fly, who has been ill for the past week, will be glad to learn that he has improved enough as to be able to sit up, although he is still confined to his bed. His wishes for a rapid recovery are being attended to.

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BANDERA WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. Mary Eckhart, 77, of Bandera, died in a San Antonio hospital Wednesday, March 16, 1938. She was a native of Quihi, and had been in San Antonio four days. Funeral services were held at the Bandera Baptist Church Thursday afternoon by Rev. S. H. Culpepper. Survivors are the husband, Fritz Eckhart of Bandera; son, F. E. Eckhart of San Antonio; two daughters, Mrs. Mena Hamilton and Mrs. Sid Joiner of Bandera; brother, John Balzen, and sister, Mrs. Fritz Borchers of Quihi.

THREE MESQUITEERS IN NEW FILM.

Against the magnificent settings of mountains and rocky plains, "Wild Horse Rodeo" tells a story of a wild horse and how opposing factions settle their differences so that the animal may be free of the rodeo life for which he was captured and again roam the open spaces. The Three Mesquiteers head the cast of "Wild Horse Rodeo", which is showing currently at the Colonial Theatre.

H. E. II CLASS PROJECT IS COMPLETED

CHILDREN ENTERTAINED.

From The Owl.
The second year Homemaking class completed their project which was construction of children's play-suits and dresses, Thursday, March the tenth.
Friday, the girls had a party for the ten children, for whom the garments were made. The children modeled their play suits and dresses, and then pineapple juice and graham crackers were served to the following: George Ann Reitzer, Barbara Ann Zerr, Beverly Joan Schweers, Diane Muennink, Betty and Shirley Smith, Margaret Ann Renken, Bobby Schulte, and Glen Schweers.

OWLS DEFEATED BY AIRMEN

From The Owl.
Randolph Field's 46th squadron defeated the Hondo Owls by a score of 9 to 0 last Thursday afternoon at Hondo College Square.
The Owls started the game with a "bang" by retiring the first three men at bat. At Hondo's first time at bat, Rucker got the Owls only hit of the game. In the next inning the visitors scored one run made possible by two hits and the Owls' error. The Owls came to bat the second time to get on their stride of hitting that they kept up for the rest of the game, no hits, no runs, only getting on base six times during the rest of the game by four walks and on Randolph's two errors. Randolph made three runs in the third inning but failed to score in the fourth. In the fifth inning "Big Ben" Marshall pushed his second home run of the game over the fence. All went well until the eighth inning when the airmen scored four runs caused by Hondo's bad throw to home, an error and two walks. No one scored in the ninth inning.

Batters for the game for Randolph were: Klapack, Cortwaite, and Edwards. Batters for Hondo were: Hartung, Tondre, Perez, and Jennings.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF The Hondo National Bank

Of Hondo, in The State of Texas,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 7, 1938.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts	\$408,964.68
2. Overdrafts	1,415.02
3. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	76,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	77,636.61
5. Banking house	\$3,861.22
6. Furniture and fixtures	1,499.67
7. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	5,360.89
8. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	96,948.63
	65,966.81
TOTAL ASSETS	\$732,292.64
LIABILITIES	
14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$541,066.63
15. State, county, and municipal deposits	121,040.93
16. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	25.00
17. Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$121,040.93
18. Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	541,091.63
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$662,132.56
19. Other liabilities	687.81
20. Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 190 shares, par \$100.00 per share, retireable at \$100.00 per share	\$50,000.00
Common stock, 310 shares, par \$100.00 per share	13,000.00
Surplus	5,472.27
Undivided profits—net	1,000.00
Preferred stock retirement fund	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	69,472.27
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$732,292.64

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

31. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	\$ 59,700.00
32. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	15,500.00
33. TOTAL PLEDGED (excluding rediscounts)	\$ 75,200.00
34. Pledged:	
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	75,200.00
TOTAL PLEDGED	\$ 75,200.00

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA, ss:

I, Chas. Finger, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CHAS. FINGER, Cashier.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me this 15th day of March, 1938.
(L. S.) JO LEBOLD, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
J. M. FINGER
CLAUDE W. GILLIAM
ELMER J. LEINWEBER
Directors.

ON HONOR ROLL.

San Marcos, Tex., Mar. 16.—Jo Reily and Jean McCall of Hondo, Texas, were among the 109 students at Southwest Texas State Teachers College to make the honor roll for the 1937-38 fall semester.

To gain the distinction of being on the honor roll, a student must make a "B" average and fail in no subject. Approximately 10% of the students enrolled were included in this distinctive list.

The honor roll is released twice each year following the fall and spring semesters.

Miss Reily is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reily and Miss Mc-

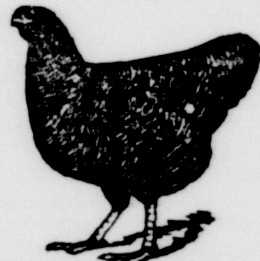
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County of Medina.

To All Whom This May Concern:

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 2nd day of April, 1938, by the qualified voters of Commissioners' Precincts Nos. One, Two, Three, and Four, in said county, at the usual voting places in and for each Common School district in said Commissioners' Precincts for the purpose of electing County Trustees as follows:

(1) For the election of one County Trustee of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3, to fill the office now held by W. O. Rothe whose term of office expires. Said trustee to be elected by the qualified voters within said precinct only.

(2) For the election of one County Trustee for Commissioners' Precinct No. 1, to fill the office now held by H. F. King whose term of office expires. Said trustee to be elected by the qualified voters within said precinct only.

Said election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers who hold the election of Common School Trustees in and for each Common School District; and the polls of said election places shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and not close before 7 o'clock P. M.

Witness my official hand and seal of office, at Hondo, Texas, on this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1938.

ARTHUR H. ROTHE,
County Judge,
Medina County, Texas.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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RALPH J. NOONAN.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

We are authorized to announce FRANK X. VANCE as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors and their kind support, I again announce as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the next general election in November, 1938, and will appreciate your consideration. If re-elected I will continue to serve to the best of my knowledge, experience and ability.

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HONDO, TEXAS, MARCH 18, 1938

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS.

By James Preston.

The opinions here expressed are
Mr. Preston's own and not neces-
sarily those of this paper.—M. E.

The little business men, it seems,
are unwilling to end the song and
let only the memory linger on.

It's been a month now since the
outspoken little men of industry
trouped out on the Capital stage and
awed the spectators with their un-
rehearsed performance, but appar-
ently they did not go home to rest
on their laurels. Secretary of Com-
merce Roper has the evidence. He is
still getting about 200 letters a day
from these "little fellows", who, dur-
ing their conference in Washington
last month, adopted resolutions par-
ticularly critical of many Federal
policies, especially those dealing with
taxation and regulation and the "an-
tagonistic attitude toward industry."

To date, about 5,000 letters have
been dropped into the Commerce De-
partment's mail box, but apparently
any analysis of the contents is to
be kept an administration secret.
Secretary Roper recently said 1,900
of the letters had been analyzed for
the President, but declined to make
the analysis public.

—WS—

One significant inkling as to what
the letters reveal was seen by many
Washington correspondents in Mr.
Roper's only comment when the
analysis was sent to the White House.
He said then that apparently the Na-
tion does not favor any "long-term
plans for control of production,
either agricultural or industrial."

—WS—

When the Secretary of the Interior
appeared before the House Approp-
riations Committee last week, he
explained that a \$50,000 item in his
budget requirements was for a new
publicity section. He jestingly said
he thought it necessary because the
Interior Department had not been
able to make page one in the news-
papers since the "blue bathroom"
episode several months ago! At that
time there was considerable com-
ment about the luxurious private
bath in the Secretary's newly built
private office suite, which also in-
cludes a kitchen.

The committee denied the request.
The House, however, reinstated the
item.

—WS—

For those who relish statistics:

A total of about 1,176,000 words
were spoken in the 46-day filibuster
against the anti-lynching bill in the
Senate; gallery employers counted
140 hours of actual debate and 49
roll calls; and Senator Ellender, of
Louisiana, was the marathon per-
former, speaking against the bill for
40 hours, including one stretch of six
daily sessions.

—WS—

The deficiency measure giving the
WPA an additional \$250,000,000 for
operations until June 30 is worth
about three million dollars per word.
Less than 90 words in length, the
bill is one of the shortest ever tossed
into the Congressional hopper.

—WS—

It came too late to influence the
farm bill one way or the other, but
a telegram that a doctor in Iowa sent
one of the Iowa Senators brought
considerable laughter in the Senate
cloak rooms last week. Addressed to
Senator Gillette, it read: "Haven't
read farm control law in its entirety
but we can't help wondering if farm-
er is allotted one calf and his cow
has twins, whether law specifies that
the officials shoot a calf, the cow
the farmer or the bull."

After showing the telegram to sev-
eral of his colleagues Senator Gil-
lette wired back: "The proper course
would be to shoot the farmer's Sen-
ator."

—WS—

ALL IN A WEEK:—As the public
debt touched a new high of \$37,632-
120,451, into the Senate hopper was
dropped a bill—for the relief of
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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers, Jr.

(The opinions here expressed are Mr.
Capers' own and do not necessarily
represent those of this paper.—
M. E.)

AUSTIN—While the political pot
simmered in Texas this week, in
preparation for a grand boiling over
about April 1, cheerful economic
news featured the week, as reports
from various reliable indices showed
the Lone Star state to be one of the
brightest spots on the business map
of the nation.

Comptroller George Sheppard re-
leased an analysis of tax and revenue
collections of the State showing that
during the first six months of the
current fiscal year, ended February
28th, state revenue totaled \$102-
385,636—an indicated gain of about
\$15,000,000 for the full year, over
last year. The increase was at-
tributed by the Comptroller to bet-
ter collections and, in part, to in-
creased rates. Better tax collections
are an invariable guide to better
business conditions, and Texas has
gained steadily in the percentage of
taxes collected for five consecutive
years.

Auditor Urges Reform

But efficiency in the spending of
the \$200,000,000 a year of State in-
come can never be achieved under
the present hodge-podge taxation
system, State Auditor Tom King de-
clared, in issuing an analysis of fi-
scal operations of the State. He
urged reforms which have been
pointed out in this column frequen-
tly as essentials to efficient and eco-
nomical government, including a de-
cent system of auditing the State's
business, the abolition of more than
100 special funds and putting of the
State's revenue into a general fund,
to be spent only on specific authori-
ties of the Legislature, and a compre-
hensive post-audit of such expendi-
tures to insure that the revenue has
been spent as the law-makers direct.

He also urged creation of a bud-
get-making authority, and some sort
of civil service authority to pass on
efficiency and qualifications of state
employees, eliminating political selection.
He voiced this significant
warning:

"Fiscal control comes through ef-
fective budgeting; and in my opinion
unless action is taken to set up such
a control in Texas in the very near
future, increased taxation may be
expected that could be avoided by
such action without impairing the
government service." King's break-
down showed the three largest items
of 1937 State expenditure as fol-
lows: Spent on highway \$43,372,071;
schools, \$35,594,075; old age pen-
sions \$18,673,213.

Another Prosperity Item

Still another indication of better
business in Texas came from figures
supplied by W. A. Thomas, the gen-
eral Federal Collector of Internal
Revenue for the northern Texas dis-
trict. He reported approximately
\$1,000,000 more in income taxes
paid this year than at the same time
last year, with about 10 per cent
more individual income tax payers
than last year to date.

Insurance Merger

Consolidation of two strong Texas
legal reserve life insurance com-
panies, through purchase of control
of the Southland Life Insurance by
the Gulf States Life Insurance Com-
pany, both of Dallas, this week gives
the thriving Texas life insurance in-
dustry another top-ranking institu-
tion, with a widespread representa-
tion of financial power on its board.
Headed by John W. Carpenter, pow-
erful magnate, as chairman of the
board, and A. Morgan Duke as presi-
dent, the new company, known as
Southland Life Insurance Company,
will retain Harry Seay and Clarence
Linz, former executives of South-
land, as officers of the new com-
pany. Likewise will remain Col. W.
E. (Bill) Talbot, long an advocate of
industrial development of Texas, as
agency director, and gratifying in-
deed to Texas newspaper publishers
is appointment of Lorry A. Jacobs,
for 10 years with the old Southland
Life, as director of public relations
for the new company. Jacobs is a
pioneer advocate of newspaper ad-
vertising for the sale of life insur-
ance, and he has consistently used
newspaper space in both dailies and
weeklies throughout Texas. It is be-
lieved the new company will continu-
his policy under his direction of the
department, as the Gulf States has
been a liberal user of newspaper
advertising space.

Political Notes

Most political activity in Austin
this week was behind the scenes, as
Bill McCraw and Ernest Thompson
were busy with intensive organiza-
tion work, preparatory to launching

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NEW RESORT TO BE BUILT.

Corpus Christi, Texas, March 5—
Vast, expansive Padre Island, charm-
ing for its obscurity, is expected to
become a veritable tourist mecca
rivaling the much-publicized resorts
of Florida and California in the next
few years with completion of a de-
velopment program announced by a
syndicate which recently purchased
the island.

Extending along the Texas coast
from Corpus Christi to Brownsville,
Padre Island is 100 miles long and
ranges from one to three miles in
width. A sandy beach rivaling the
famous Daytona speedway of Florida
in grandeur extends practically the
entire length of the island.

Now accessible to automobiles only
by a ferry operating to nearby Mus-
tang Island, the long island, when
the new program is completed, will
be connected with the mainland by
two causeways. One of the causeways
will be built at Flour Bluff near
Corpus Christi, and the other at a
lower Rio Grande Valley point.

The syndicate plans extensive
development of the island as a pleas-
ure resort, with facilities to include
residential subdivisions, a dude ranch
and yacht basin along the protected
waters of Laguna Madre. When the
program is completed, an extensive
national advertising campaign, rival-
ing publicity campaigns of Atlantic
and Pacific coast cities, will be con-
ducted. The plans also call for in-
auguration of steamship service be-
tween New Orleans, Corpus Christi
and Brownsville, with regular ex-
cursions to the island.

The developers have announced

platforms and active campaigns
about April 1. Thompson conferred
here with Myron Blalock, of Mar-
shall, chairman of the Democratic
State Committee, who is reported
getting ready to manage the red-
headed Amarillan's campaign for
Governor. McCraw filed an anti-
trust suit against six Texas cement
companies, alleging price fixing in
violation of State laws, and seeking
penalties which could total a maxi-
mum of \$30,000,000 if conviction is
had. McCraw, of course, will not
likely try the suit, retiring from the
Attorney General's office next Janu-
ary. Two new second-string gub-
ernatorial candidates posted their
\$100 fee. They are S. T. Brogdon,
Stephenville architect, and Joseph
King, Houston tavern operator.
Vann Kennedy, state Democratic
committee secretary, declared he is
offering the biggest advertising bar-
gain, publishing any man's name to
a "million circulation" (the ballots)
for \$100. . . . Walter Woodul, lieuten-
ant governor, halted his vigorous
campaigning for attorney general
this week, because of the death of
his father in Houston, but was to re-
sume his activity Monday. . . . Walter
Woodward, Coleman ex-senator,
changed his mind and withdrew from
the field for Lieutenant Governor, as
ex-Senator George Puri of Dallas
indicated strong he may get into this
race, which now lists Sen. G. H. Nel-
son, Coke Stevenson, ex-speaker, and
John Lee Smith of Throckmorton.
A legal tangle which the higher
courts will have to solve, grew out
of action of the District Court in
Austin, enjoining prosecution of
Railroad Commission officials for
contempt in a Dallas district court,
which had granted an injunction asked
by Community Gas Company, re-
straining the Commission from in-
terfering in certain gas rate hearings.
Jurisdiction of the two courts and
the power of one district court to in-
terfere with orders of another are
questions involved.

NOTICE.

To citizens of Medina County: I
have for sale some twenty registered
polled and horned Hereford bulls, lo-
cated 1 block west of depot, Hondo,
north side of track. Come in and
see them; will take your old bulls in
exchange. 36-1tpd.
H. K. RAY.

that they will begin construction of
the causeways as soon as title ques-
tions now being probed by the state
are cleared.

The eastern syndicate, headed by
former Sen. John A. Hastings of
New York, is reported to have paid
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FAITH, HOPE and LOVE

Faith, which sees beyond and takes hold of her future as she sings, While with expectant watching waits For that great day of better things. Gives birth to Hope and lives Within her harbor free from dread— Securely anchored as she thrives Upon her dote of daily bread, When Love, the Master of the tide And land and night and day, Gives unto her; and Love shall stay When Faith and Hope have passed away.

—A. B. Carlisle, Weslaco, Texas

MODERNITY

Moonlit night
Shady street
Stolen kiss
Very sweet.

Wedding ring
Little spat
Visiting Reno
Ends that.

New car
Bottle of gin
Death rides
Once again.

—W. N. Melton, Wetumka, Okla.

TODAY

Please hear the prayer I send today:
"As I continue on life's way,
May thy spirit live in me.
Keep my faith, Lord, fixed on thee
And my purpose—victory
Amen.

—Helen A. Thompson, San Antonio

EXPECTATION

I love to watch the sun go down
Behind the purple hill
At eventide, when darkness falls,
And all the world is still.

When pink and crimson sunset hues
Are melting into gold,
The gentle shepherd herds his sheep,
And puts them in the fold.

Between the earth and heaven,
Brightly shining from afar,
Like a diamond in the distance,
Is the gleaming evening star.

And through the dusky twilight,
Like a sunbeam through the rain,
With your brown eyes softly gleam-
ing,
You come smiling back again.

—Hilma Andersen, Victoria, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy extended to us in our recent bereavement of our husband and father, Joe Weynand. We also express our appreciation for the many beautiful floral and spiritual offerings.

MRS. JOE WEYNAND,
And Family.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Medina.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Medina County, on the 7th day of March, 1938, by Emil Britsch, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of One Hundred Thirty-six and 16-100 (\$136.16) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Improvement District No. 1 in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3502 and styled Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Improvement District No. 1 vs. Belle McNear, and her husband, Royden Schellfobien, placed in my hands for service, I, Chas. J. Schuehle as Sheriff of Medina County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of March, 1938, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Medina County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

All of Lot 62, Block 4, being 30.41 acres of San Antonio Trust Subdivision of lands lying in Medina County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Belle McNear, and that on the first Tuesday in April, 1938, at the Court House door of Medina County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said order of sale I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of Belle McNear.

And in compliance with law, I give notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hondo Anvil Herald, newspaper published in Medina County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of March, 1938.

CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE,
Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

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THANK YOU, SIR!!

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SUBSCRIBE FOR THIS PAPER AND KEEP UP WITH LITTLE BUDDY

CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE,
Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

CASTROVILLE ORGANIZES FIRE COMPANY TUESDAY.

Permanent organization was perfected at a called meeting of the Castroville fire department Tuesday night by the adoption of constitution and by-laws and the election of officers for the ensuing year. The officers named include:

J. F. Schott, president
Herman Bippert, vice-pres.
Chas. Suehs, Jr., sec.-treas.

The committee named at a previous meeting to solicit subscriptions, reported that about \$200 had been raised and that there are many more property owners to see yet. Further time was granted the committee in which to complete its work.

Still another committee was named to make inspection of equipment. Upon count it was learned that 20 applications for membership in the fire-fighting force had been received.

Attend Coronation.

Howard Haass and Miss Billie Jo Conover, president and sweetheart of the Lytle FFA chapter, attended coronation exercises of the FFA sweethearts by the Pearsall chapter on Friday night last week. The chapters from Hondo, Devine, Lytle, D'Hanis, Sabinal, Cotulla and Crystal City were represented in the exercises.

G. R. Hans, the oil distributor at Castroville, was here Tuesday.

Sheriff C. J. Schuehle of Hondo was a visitor in LaCoste Tuesday.

Daniel Keller from Rio Medina was a visitor here Monday.

Oscar Koenig of Devine was a business visitor here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles visited with relatives at Castroville Wednesday.

A. E. Jungman and son, Bernard, made a trip to Hondo Monday.

Arnold Reitzer, the ice man at Hondo, was a visitor in LaCoste Monday.

Miss Marie Lessing of Macdonia spent the week-end with Miss Faustine Christilles here.

Robert Mechler from the Sauz was a business visitor here Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mechler of the Sauz, a son, on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Antoinette Franger from Delta spent Sunday with Misses Ethel Mae and Doris Koehler here.

Mr. and Mrs. McDowell and children and Mrs. J. R. Cook and children of San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Keller here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger and children and Henry Biediger visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hacker and children in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Tondre and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Zuercher and son, John Lloyd, visited in LaPryor with G. C. Tondre and family.

Elizabeth Ann, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler, was christened in St. Mary's Catholic Church Sunday. Sponsors were Mrs. Paul Mechler and Adolph Hutzler.

L. C. Howard, who is staying with his father at Devine for the past weeks, was a visitor here last Friday. Mr. Howard reports that his father, who has been seriously ill, is up and about again.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vorpahl and daughter, a graduate of Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, and who is at present teaching school at Somers, were visitors here and at Castroville last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keller and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller and children visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Reicherzer and baby and Mrs. Theresa Zinsmeyer in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Fern S. Dunn and daughter, Mary Loyce, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes here. They returned to their home at Bay City, Texas, Monday, after a very enjoyable visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bippert and sons and Mr. and Mrs. George Kunze made a pleasure drive to Eagle Pass Sunday and while there crossed over to Piedras Negras where they saw the arena in which bull fights are held. They drove down by way of Devine and Pearsall and on return came by LaPryor and Uvalde.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph H. Vogt of Von Ormy were in LaCoste on business Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Echtle of the Sauz were in San Antonio on business Saturday.

Mrs. Helena Zinsmeyer of LaCoste visited at the Paul Echtle home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ahr visited with Mrs. Ahr's parents in San Antonio the past week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mechler, a daughter, Sunday, March 6th.

Mother and daughter are doing very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Groff and sons of San Antonio visited relatives at LaCoste and Castroville Sunday.

Alfred Tschirhart from the Sauz was taken to the Santa Rosa hospital for treatment last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steiple, Jr. from Rio Medina visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and children here Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Matthies of San Antonio visited at the home of Mrs. Lena Reicherzer here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Reitzer from Quihi and son, Arnold, from Hondo visited with Mrs. E. Graff near Hondo Sunday.

Messrs. Joe Jackel, Sr. and son, Albert, and Albert Schirmer from near Atascosa were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Jungman is spending a few days in Corpus Christi with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jungman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohl and Robt. Rihn from LaCoste attended the funeral of Ed. Sitte at Castroville Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Engleken and sons of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christille and family here Sunday.

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All of Lot No. 16, in Block No. 7, in San Antonio Trust Subdivision of lands in Medina County, Texas, said lot containing 21.97 acres and levied upon as the property of John Haney, Administrator of the Estate of Rufus Haney, Deceased, and that on the first Tuesday in April, 1938, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door of Medina County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said John Haney, Administrator of the Estate of Rufus Haney, Deceased.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hondo Anvil Herald, newspaper published in Medina County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of March, 1938.

CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE,
Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

G objects—girl, gown, goat, goatee, gateway, grapes, gunman, green, grass, glass.

Errors—hand on clock missing—irregular numerals on clock—chain on clock—umbrella—picture cord—picket missing on bannister—sleeves on man—trouser legs different.

Menu—Soup, omelette, roast pork, sauerkraut, mince pie, pudding, shortcake.

Dots—Fat boy on sled.

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UNICAMERAL IDEA GAINING.

AUSTIN, March 6.—The idea of a unicameral—one house—legislature for Texas is gaining steadily in popularity, says Representative Joe R. Monkhouse of Uvalde.

On a recent tour of his district, Monkhouse said he found only one prominent man opposed to the unicameral plan, that man being former Representative Johnson of Carrizo Springs, once a candidate for speaker of the house of representatives.

"Many people don't understand the subject of a unicameral legislature," Monkhouse said, "but after it is explained they are for it."

"My idea would be to have a legislature of 65 members, or thereabouts, which would give Texas a representative to each 100,000 population."

"The members would be paid annual salaries and be required to devote all their time to the State's business."

"I believe such a plan would result in sharp reductions in the expense of government and far more than enough would be saved in dollars and cents to pay the slight additional costs of salaries."

"Did you ever think how much harder it would make it for the lobbyist? When interests want to block a bill they now go to the senate, not to the house. Well, it would be a lot tougher if they had to go to all the members of a unicameral legislature."

TRIO ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johnson and son, Sid, and little granddaughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Hairston at Hondo Sunday.

From the Prackett News-Mail.

Mrs. E. Sauer and daughter, Miss Elsie, returned last Sunday evening from a week-end visit in Marfa and that section with relatives.

Mrs. Henry Bless left Tuesday morning for San Antonio where she will undergo medical treatment.

Val Verde County Herald.

Duaine Joseph Pingnot, six-pound, four-ounce son born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Pingnot in their home, 1204 Avenue B. The child is the grandson of Mrs. Louis Pingnot of Del Rio and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smykal of Yoakum. He is also the great-grandson of Mrs. Anna Jakubik of Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Greif were visitors on the O. J. Koehler ranch in Kinney County Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Greif is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Koehler, who ranch in Kinney County, spent Wednesday visiting in Del Rio. They returned to their ranch Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas May-

field returned Tuesday evening from their wedding trip, which included visits in Florida, Cuba and New Orleans. Mrs. Mayfield, before her marriage February 13, was Miss Marion Brauer. The couple will make their home on the Mayfield ranch in the Comstock country.

Dr. E. C. Schulze returned Wednesday evening from San Antonio, where he went to attend an eye, ear, nose and throat convention, which was held in the Gunter Hotel Tuesday and Wednesday.

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS.

March 14, Bruno A. Schweers, Hondo, Chevrolet truck.

March 2, Robert Clements, Hondo, Willys sedan.

March 2, Ernest Britsch, Hondo, Studebaker sedan.

March 4, John G. Britsch, Hondo, Pontiac.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Will N. Noonan et al to Wm. Ch. Santleben, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 445 acres of land, being all of Survey No. 347, William F. Noonan; all of Survey No. 347½, Mary J. Vochery, and 125 acres out of Survey No. 178½, Jose Alameda. Consideration \$6,675.00.

Armin Breiten and wife to Ernest D. Boehle and wife, special warranty deed to undivided one-third interest to Allotment No. 2 of lands belonging to estate of Joseph and Katie Breiten, as follows: 79.5 acres of land out of Original Survey No. 385, Jos. Walker. Consideration \$500.00.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births

Feb. 3, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Silves, boy.

Feb. 22, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Camacho, girl.

Feb. 22, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Gonzales, boy.

Feb. 19, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Gallegos, boy.

Feb. 19, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Martinez, girl.

March 5, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Rosales Silva, boy.

March 4, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Chacon, girl.

Feb. 25, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Danton Louis Mayes, girl.

Feb. 16, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Sipriano Caseres, boy.

Feb. 13, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Gonzales, boy.

Feb. 8, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Aniseto Garcia, boy.

Feb. 28, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wellington Meares, girl.

Feb. 9, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gonzales, Sr., boy.

Feb. 3, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Tom White, girl.

Feb. 2, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Joseph Horworth, boy.

INSTALLING OF ELECTRIC LIGHTS COMPLETED

From The Owl.

Installing of the electric lights in the grade class rooms was completed last week.

There are four ceiling lights and two floor sockets in each room. The floor sockets make it possible to use the projection machine in the home room without having to go to some other room.

Lights were needed very badly in the rooms because the pupils could hardly see on dark days.

Feb. 18, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Milton D. Fullmore (col.).

Feb. 27, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Trevino, girl.

Feb. 22, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Ladislav Barrios, girl.

Feb. 2, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Vicente G. Arcos, boy.

Feb. 18, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Almer A. Harrison, boy.

Feb. 20, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harley Lock, girl.

Feb. 17, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Breiten, boy.

Feb. 16, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Philip Nixon, girl.

Feb. 18, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. John Theodor Martin, boy.

Feb. 10, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose Barrios, girl.

Feb. 6, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walch, boy.

Feb. 5, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Santos, boy.

Feb. 3, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie R. Heyen, boy.

Jan. 30, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baylor Hudson, girl.

Jan. 29, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cuellar, boy.

Deaths

Feb. 23, 1938, Paul Brotze, Jr., 64 years.

Feb. 19, 1938, Frank H. Schweers, 54 years.

Feb. 9, 1938, Garmana Martinez Lopez, 68 years.

Jan. 14, 1938, Louisa S. Nombrano, 26 years.

Feb. 3, 1938, Anna L. Heyen, 56 years.

Feb. 20, 1938, Nicolas Martinez, 54 years.

Jan. 16, 1938, Ricardo Cuellar, 1 month.

Feb. 7, 1938, Kate Sertell, 67 years.

Feb. 6, 1938, Amanda Edwards, 70 years.

Feb. 15, 1938, John Henry Weiser, 58 years.

Feb. 27, 1938, Santos Morales, 5 months.

March 6, 1938, Victor Jaas, 43 years.

March 1, 1938, Joseph Schmidt, 73 years.

March 8, 1938, James P. Goodman, 56 years.

March 1, 1938, Francisco Garza, 67 years.

Feb. 26, 1938, Emil Haegelin, 87 years.

Feb. 27, 1938, Catherine Schmitt, 92 years.

OUR PUZZLE CORNER

RASTUS HAS MADE A BIG CATCH... DRAW A LINE FROM 1 TO 28

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ADD 13 MORE STROKES TO THE 13 ABOVE AND MAKE A WORD... WHAT IS THE WORD?

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:-: D'Hanis Doings :-:

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1938

Mr. Joe Enderle and daughters, Mrs. Edward Bland and Miss Mary Jane Enderle of San Antonio spent Tuesday here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart left Wednesday morning for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Misses Verine and Stella Finger spent Wednesday at Pearsall, where they visited their aunt, Mrs. C. E. Martin.

Herbert Koch, recently of Austin and now of Uvalde, spent Sunday here with his father, Mr. Ed. S. Koch. Simultaneous with Koch's transfer to Uvalde came Wilfred Fohn's appointment to the Austin district. Both young men are employed by the Reynolds Tobacco Co.

Ellen Marie, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Zinsmeyer, is recovering from a severe case of scarlet fever, and her sister and brothers have been allowed to return to school after a week's quarantine.

So numerous were the relatives and friends of the late Joseph Weynand who came from throughout Medina County as well as from towns outside of our county for the funeral that it would be impossible to list them here.

Mrs. Hettie Wipff, Mrs. Fred Baumer, and Miss Mary Brotze of San Antonio visited Mrs. Annie Haby and brothers Wednesday.

JOSEPH WEYNAND.

One of the largest crowds ever to assemble in Holy Cross Church here, gathered on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock to pay last respects to Joseph Weynand, who had died at his home on the Rio Seco north of D'Hanis at 12:15 A. M. Friday, March 11, 1938, completing a life of 77 years, 4 months, and 2 days.

Deceased was a child of the D'Hanis pioneers, Hubert and Angeline Ney Weynand, who were among the first to establish a home in the Fort Lincoln settlement, where Joseph Weynand was born on Nov. 9, 1860. He experienced many of the hardships of the old days, and he often recalled them in his anecdotes about Indian depredations. He also took part in at least one cattle drive "up the trail".

While he was yet a young man, Weynand became employed in San Antonio. It was there that he married Theresa Poerner on April 5, 1886. Rev. H. Pfeiffer performing the ceremony in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. The young couple remained in the city about three years and then returned to D'Hanis. On the Seco, several miles north of town, they built a substantial home which he occupied for the remainder of his life and where he successfully managed his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Weynand, who observed their golden wedding anniversary two years ago, reared a family of five children, namely, William A. Weynand of D'Hanis, George Weynand of San Antonio, Mrs. Joe Friemel of Canyon, Texas, Ed. Weynand of D'Hanis, and Ernest Weynand, who died in 1918 while serving as a soldier in France. Besides the three sons and one daughter, deceased is survived by his widow, 20 grandchildren, one great-grandchild; three brothers, Leopold and Louis Weynand of D'Hanis, and John Weynand of San Antonio; four sisters, Mrs. Katie Bieschler and Mrs. Theresa Wolff of D'Hanis, Mrs. Angela Lamm and Mrs. Mary Postert of San Antonio.

At 9 o'clock Sunday morning, March 13, Rev. William Lamm of San Antonio conducted services at the home, and at 10 o'clock Rev. Eugene Zuber sang a High Mass of Requiem and preached the sermon. Assisted by Father Lamm, who spoke a few closing words at the grave, Father Zuber also read the burial service at the local cemetery.

Active pall-bearers were nephews of the deceased: Henry Weynand and Ernest Lamm of San Antonio, August Schott Jr. of Castroville, Hugo Poerner of Devine, Paul Poerner and Alphonse Lutz of D'Hanis. Honorary pall-bearers were the following grandsons: Maurice, Arthur, Edmund, and Raymond Weynand of San Antonio, Ervin, Melvin, and Albert Weynand of D'Hanis, and Elmer Friemel of Canyon.

Of the immediate family the following relatives came from out of town for the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Friemel and son of Canyon, Mrs. Lamm, Mrs. Postert, and Mr. John Weynand of San Antonio, Mrs. Sophie Niehl and son, Gus, of San Angelo.

Joseph Weynand was a life-long practical Catholic, a kind husband, and a devoted father. He had made full preparations for his death, which was caused by a heart ailment of about three years' duration.

D'HANIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS.

Bertha Weynand Elected Duchess

Officials of the Crystal City Spinach Festival having extended an invitation to the local High School to send a senior girl as duchess to represent the school at their celebration of March 25, students of the high school elected Bertha Weynand to that honor last Wednesday, March 9. Except to the duchess will be Oliver Reinhardt, Jr.

D'HANIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS.

Pupils To Enter County Meet.

The following teams will take part in the tennis events of the County Meet at Hondo on Friday, March 18: senior boys singles, Ferd Rock; doubles, Oliver Reinhardt and Homer Nester; junior boys singles, Joe Henry Biry; doubles, Charles Saathoff and James Rudinger; senior girls singles, Lucille Pichot; doubles, Melverda Poerner and Bertha Weynand; junior girls singles, Inez Huegele; doubles, Stella Nester and Barbara Boog.

Pupils will enter as contestants in the literary events at Devine Saturday as follows: typing, Inez Huegele, Lucille Pichot, and Ruth Nester; senior spelling, Alice Saathoff and Ruth Nester; 6th-7th grade spelling, Louis Schmiedli and Florence Hamor; story-telling, Thomas Williams; 4th-5th grade spelling, Jeneva Rieber, Elizabeth Barber, and Louise Aten; picture memory, James Secrist and Jeneva Rieber; high school essay, Ruth Strawn. The declamation contestants will be as follows: high school: senior girl, Ruth Nester, senior boy, Orson Secrist, and junior girl, Stella Nester; ward school: junior girl, Florence Hamor, and junior boy, Louis Schmiedli.

Pupils in the cast of "Student Days", a farce to be given in the one-act play contest to be held at Devine on Tuesday, March 29, are: Lucille Pichot, Alice Saathoff, Bertha Weynand, Marjorie Nester, Ferd Rock and Olive Reinhardt.

Those taking part in the choral singing Saturday will be Thomas Victor Boog, student director, Hazel Bishop, Claudia Ruth Love, Louis Schmiedli, Jeneva Rieber, F. E. Aten, Charlotte Boog, Florence Hamor, Louise Aten, Harvey Pete Saathoff, Harold Bishop, Kermit Wolff, Carmen Boog, Thomas Williams, Tommy Duke, John Ross Wentz, Betty Duke, and Jimmy Duke.

P-T. A. Study Group Meets.

The Study Group of the D'Hanis Parent Teacher Association met at the home of Mrs. Quaid Martin on Wednesday afternoon, March 9, with the leader, Mrs. O. S. Secrist, conducting the lesson. There were six members present. The group will meet next on March 30 at 3 P. M. at the home of Mrs. A. J. Boog.

D'Hanis P-T. A. Elects Officers.

The regular monthly meeting of the D'Hanis Parent Teacher Association was held Wednesday afternoon, March 16, at 3 o'clock. The program opened with a five-violin ensemble presenting two quartette numbers, "Home Sweet Home", and "Whispering Hope". Ruth Nester, Florence Hamor, Stella Nester, and Orson Secrist gave the declamations they have prepared for the County Meet. Mr. H. E. Sullivan, Superintendent of Sabinal Schools, gave an interesting talk on school duties.

During the business session officers were elected as follows: president, Mrs. A. J. Boog; first vice-president, Mrs. Quaid Martin; second vice-president, Mrs. Ferdie Koch; third vice-president, Mrs. Paul Poerner; secretary, Mrs. Henry Biry; and treasurer, Mrs. Pete Saathoff.

The association elected two delegates to attend the District Conference at Beville on April 4, 5, and 6, namely, Mrs. Biry and Mrs. Boog, with Mrs. Ferdie Koch and Mrs. Ed Nester as alternates.

F. F. A. Meets.

The D'Hanis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America met in regular session Wednesday, March 2, in the agriculture room. The meeting was called to order by the president, Oliver Reinhardt, Jr. There were twelve members present. The secretary, Orson Secrist Jr., reported that an orchestra has been engaged for the Easter dance, and committees were appointed to sell soda water and sandwiches. At the conclusion of the business meeting refreshments consisting of hot chocolate and cookies were served to the members.

D'Hanis Boy Elected District F. F. A. President.

Saturday, March 5, the D'Hanis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America entered the athletic contests held at Hondo. During the business meeting, Oliver Reinhardt Jr., was elected president of the Winter Garden District of the Future Farmers of America. The schools in this district that teach Vocational Agriculture are Dilley, Cotulla, Pearsall, Crystal City, Carrizo Springs, Hondo, Sabinal, Devine, Lytle, Yancey, and D'Hanis. Charles Saathoff was also elected Parliamentarian. To become a district officer a boy must have been an officer in his chapter and must have made application to become a State Farmer. The following were elected:

Oliver Reinhardt, Jr., President, D'Hanis; "Doc" Henry, Vice-President, Pearsall; Charles Roberts, Secretary, Cotulla; Milton Bohmfalk, Treasurer, Hondo; Polito Bobon, Reporter, Cotulla; Charles Saathoff, parliamentarian, D'Hanis; Lee Roy Rumfield, historian, Dilley; Bert

QUIHI NOTES.

And Esau was forty years old when he took to wife Judith... and Bashemath (both Hittites, pagans): which were a grief of mind unto Isaac and Rebekah. Gen. 26:34,35.

And so we step down again to solid ground, down from the lofty heights of minsters and cathedrals, and up from the frozen, or rather mouldering, assets of bygone civilizations unearthed by numerous excavations. But that solid ground is rather unsolid in a moral sense. Esau is stepping high with a "dare, a dare, a double-dare". He is bungling with polygamy. At his age he should have known better. But some minds remain in the juvenile stage, never growing, never learning. And sin really is ageless. The home atmosphere by rights should have produced a different product; but that atmosphere is no iron-clad guarantee for good breeding. One silly sweep of ill-will is apt to blow it over hill and dale. Principles and precepts of his family history might have guided him in his choice, when at the parting of ways. His self-centered make-up and his tempestuous disposition knew but one track, and his heathen neighbors did the pulling and directing, like the little tug-boats pulling the mighty ocean-liner out of the harbor. Judging by his general nature, pride and spite and malice also had a word to say in this action, and these, sometimes, perform greater feats than love and common-sense. Pride and sensuality always have been the corner-stone of polygamy. And what consequences to this act? Sin is not merely a misfortune, a result of bad influences; it mutilates and destroys, often sounding the death knell to hope. It's not a solitary act, done—and forgotten. It's a rebellion against God with drastic consequences for the sinner and his surroundings. Our text is silent on immediate effects upon Esau; how, most likely, after the ecstatic yumm of ill-chosen and high-powered romance, eyes flashed and tongues lashed, hectic fires were fanned and plots planned by the heathenish kith and kin to make that burly giant perhaps bawl like a spanked baby, and to alienate him thoroughly from home and tribal excellence. The effect upon Isaac and Rebekah is mentioned in a few simple and terse words. A "grief of mind". They speak volumes. This term leaves it to your imagination or experience to picture that grief. "Charms strike the sight"—and those Hittite girls may have had them—"but merit wins the soul." Here, obviously, they had failed. And so "sighs steal out and tears begin to flow", maybe fretting and fuming, maybe only silent resignation, after words are misunderstood and misinterpreted, attitudes wrongly gauged, acts of kindness suspected, and every attempt at peace having the effect of "rubbing the fur the wrong way". So the old couple, thanks to their wilful and misguided sons, are like fish in troubled water, draining the cup of misery to the dregs. We must admit, of course, where two worlds of different age, ideas, likes and dislikes, opinions and judgments, experience and habits, in any family, come in contact, there will always be a problem, and in the solution much may be at fault on both sides; but where there is no spirit of God that controls the passions, helps to purify the heart, to understand, to forgive and to forget, not for human convenience, but for God's sake (even then, what a task!), there will always be a "grief of mind" somewhere, on one side—or the other.

To all appearances, we had an appreciative audience again for our monthly presentation of the Luther League program, even if we had to call on a kind of emergency junior department to fill the vacancies this time. So all numbers came off without a hitch. May the next program see all the contributors. Here are the assignments: Recitations, Mrs. Elmer Saathoff; select readings, Mrs. Roy Dailey, Miss Florence Grell; vocal selections, Mr. Roy Bohlen and Mrs. Walter Grell; instrumental, Miss Aileen Grell. We'll be looking for you.

The sacrament of holy baptism was administered on the child of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff of San Antonio last Sunday. Their little daughter bears the name of Willie Jean. They had selected Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulte for the sponsorship. May the peace of heaven be reflected in the soul and life of the child.

Our list of suffering, convalescing and restored patients is rather unusually large. The names include Mrs. Luebbe Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Oeffinger; even men of robust health like Mr. Walter Graff and Mr. Herbert Brucks were not immune against attacks of this and that kind. The Lord speaks in varying languages during such days of sickness, but mercy is the keynote.

Announcements for March the 20th: German service at 10:30; Sunday school in all departments at 9:30; English service at 7:30 P. M. May we remind you of the Lenten service every Wednesday at 8 P. M.? And we believe the messages bring something for you. Will you be there?

Hardt, farm watch dog, Yancey; W. P. Williams, Advisor, Cotulla.

Miss Bertha Weynand, F. F. A. Sweetheart, and Oliver Reinhardt Jr., FFA president, accompanied by Mr. MacNeal Erwin and Mr. Jack Wellhausen, attended the coronation of the Queen at Pearsall Friday evening March 4.

:-: Castroville Cullings :-:

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

LA VERN RIHN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Rihn or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Rihn is authorized to collect and receipt for lay business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tschirhart of the Sauz spent Monday with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naegelin and daughter, Dorothy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rihn, Mrs. L. P. Ihnken, and Very Rev. Dean Jacob Lenzen were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Miss Theresa Rihn and Geraldine Christilles of San Antonio spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mangold of LaCoste spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mangold's sister and father, Mrs. A. H. Tondre and Mr. Joe Tschirhart Sr., who is not doing so well at this writing.

Mr. Jack Fitzsimon of San Antonio visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

A. E. Karm and son, Joe Ellis, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Homesley at D'Hanis Sunday.

Mr. E. J. Keller of LaCoste was a visitor in our midst Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brieden and children and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marty of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Haass and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Haass visited Gene Mangold Sunday.

Mr. Charles Suehs, Jr. and Miss Patricia Suehs were Devine visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schott of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Halbardier Sunday.

Mr. P. J. Zuercher of Uvalde spent the week-end in the A. H. Tondre home.

Mrs. Alois Haby and Mrs. Mervin Rihn and son, Elroy, were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. Clyde Bader was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Koch and baby and Mr. Koch of LaCoste were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haby and daughters of Cliff were visitors here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart and son, Lynroe, of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mecher and family of the Sauz visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naegelin and children Saturday.

Little Miss Marlene Mehr underwent a tonsil and an appendix operation at the Medina Hospital Friday.

Mrs. A. A. Christilles and sons, Denis and Benjamin, Mrs. C. P. Christilles and Robert Burns of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Rihn is staying at the bedside of Mrs. Joe A. Bader at the M. & S. Hospital in San Antonio.

Mrs. Joe A. Bader underwent a serious operation at the M. & S. Hospital in San Antonio Saturday. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. P. J. Zuercher and Miss Mabel Tondre spent Friday at Uvalde and Saturday in San Antonio as guests of Mrs. Zuercher's parents.

Mrs. A. H. Tondre and son, Elton, were visiting Mrs. Tondre's ranch-house at Noonan Sunday.

Miss Augusta Naegelin of Lytle is staying in the Chas. Suehs home for some time.

Mrs. Louis Biediger of LaCoste visited her uncle, Mr. Joe Lieber, here Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart of Noonan spent Thursday evening with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and children.

Mrs. Theresa Netherland returned to her home at Devine Thursday.

Miss Tena Lee Lieber spent the week-end with Miss Melverda Poerner at D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tondre and baby of San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter, LaVern, and Herbert Lyons and Miss Olivia Jungman of San Antonio visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schott, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott and Mr. and Mrs. August Schott attended the funeral of Mr. Joe Weynand at D'Hanis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tschirhart and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. George Muennink at Hondo Sunday.

Mrs. P. J. Tschirhart is staying with Mrs. Theresa Zinsmeyer who underwent an appendix operation at the Santa Rosa Hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Niemeyer and daughter, Ada, of New Braunfels visited Mrs. Fred Lieber Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Bippert and son, Guenther, spent several days at LaGrange.

Mrs. George Tondre and children and Mrs. Herbert Keller of La Pryor were visitors here Monday and Tuesday.

FOR YOUR 1938 HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE SEE JOE A. BADER FOR A DEMONSTRATION.

MR. DANIEL HOOGE DIED.

Mr. Daniel Hooge of San Antonio died March 8, 1938. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Marguerite Biediger; son, R. D. Hooge Jr.; daughter, Dolores Ann; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hooge of Selma, Texas; sister, Mary Hooge; brothers, Anthony and Stephen Hooge of San Antonio, and grandmother, Mrs. H. Chavogneau. The funeral was held Thursday from the residence, 2101 W. Houston St. at 9 A. M. followed by a Requiem Mass in Sacred Heart Church offered by Rev. Joseph Jacobi. Interment was made in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2. Arrangement by Zizik-Kearns Undertaking Co.

Pall-bearers were Joe, Curil, Emil, George, and Richard Hooge and Henry Van de Walle. He is also survived by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Biediger of San Antonio, and brothers and sister-in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rihs of Rio Medina, Mr. and Mrs. Max Grossenbacher of Eagle Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kempf, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mangold and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. L. Biediger of San Antonio.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday, March 20, 1938.

9:00 A. M. Sunday School and Bible classes.

10:00 A. M. English Services.

This church announcement is a reminder to all members, friends and visitors in our little city; that you are kindly urged and most cordially invited to attend any and all services of our church. If you have no church home, you are cordially invited to attend our services.

English Lenten Service will be conducted Wednesday night, on March 23rd, at 8 o'clock. The Castroville Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will meet on Wednesday, March 30th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Miss Rose Louise Haass. Miss Haass kindly invites the members and her friends to please attend. The Texas Lutheran College Choir of Seguin will sing in the Castroville Public School on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock on March 27th.

The choir consists of about 45 to 50 splendid singers.

By all means, please come out to hear this famous choir. You will enjoy and appreciate the program. A cordial invitation to worship with us is extended to all.

The church with a welcome,

A. H. Falkenberg,

Pastor.

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